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SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Applicants and their Attorneys are aware of the following additional publications listed on the attached PTO Form SB/08. In accordance with 37 CFR §1.97, we hereby submit these publications for the Examiner's consideration during the prosecution of this application, and request that these publications be considered and made of record therein. Copies of cited U.S. patents and U.S. publications (Reference ID Nos. A196-A213) are not enclosed with this statement.

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In addition, Applicants direct the Examiner's attention to the following United States patent applications and issued patents:

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Serial No. Filing Date 08-29-2006 CTX-068 7.100,200 CTX-079 10/083.324 02-26-2002 ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED CTX-084 10/683,881 10-10-2003 /J.W.C./ CTX-087 10/711-646 09-29-2004 CTX-087DV 11/157.289 06-20-2005 CTX-087DV2 11/158,156 06-20-2005 CTX-087DV3RCE 11/157,315 06-20-2005

Our Reference No.

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Applicants submit that this Information Disclosure Statement is in compliance with 37 CFR §1.98 and respectfully request that:

- The Examiner consider completely the cited information, along with any other information, in reaching a determination concerning the patentability of the present claims;
- The Examiner sign the enclosed form PTO SB/08 to evidence that the cited patent(s) and publication(s) has (have) been fully considered by the Patent and Trademark Office during the examination of this application;

 The citations for the patent(s) and publication(s) be printed on any patent which issues from this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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